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*EXPLAINING SUB-DIVISION II OF  
THE AIMS AND PURPOSES OF THE  
LEAGUE OF UNITED LATIN-AMERICAN  
CITIZENS, COUNCIL NO. 8,  
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The evils of discrimination among our fellow citizens on account of race, religion and social position are an open violation of the basic principles upon which rests the solidarity of this great country. This nation being composed in its entirety of a cosmopolitan population, gathered here from all the peoples of the world, must necessarily have a basic understanding guaranteeing these different concourses of various immigrants full civil and religious liberty. The Constitution of these United States is, and has been so admired by the whole world, a common ground upon which all the various peoples seeking citizenship in our country find a harmonizer and bulwark of protection, and hence the reason for the greatness of this wonderful republic.

Religious liberty is the possession of the free right of worshipping God according to the dictates of a right conscience, and of practicing a form of religion MOST in accordance with his duties to God. Every act infringing on our freedom of conscience is justly styled religious intolerance. This religious liberty is the true right of every man because it corresponds with a most certain duty which God has put upon him.

A man enjoys Civil Liberty when he is exempt from the arbitrary will of others, and when he is governed by equitable laws established by a legally constituted authority for the general welfare of society. So long as, in common with his fellow citi-

zens, he observes the laws of the state, any exceptional restraint imposed upon him, in the exercise of his rights as a citizen, is so far an infringing on his civil liberty.

The comprehension of these truths and their observation by all our fellow-citizens will certainly lead to eradicate from our body politic all intents and tendencies to establish discriminations among our fellow-citizens on account of race, religion and social position.

Therefore, let us be zealous in promoting these liberties for the equal enjoyment of ALL, and whenever any encroachments on these sacred privileges of man are perpetrated let us raise our voice of protest, and have ever in mind that fighting for the rights of others is defending our own. And that, to my way of thinking, is the best and most permanent remedy to completely eradicate those evils and thusly seek to adapt subdivision 2 of the Aims and Purposes of our organization to its most practical usefulness.

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Having resigned as Director of Publicity and Editor of Lulac News, I deem it my duty to express my appreciation for the hearty cooperation tendered me by the members and non-members of Lulac since the beginning of this publication, which made it possible.

F. VALENCIA.

## RED HOT LULAC TIPS

Thomas A. GARZA.

—Just got back from a little trip and believe me I am glad to get back. I was up the Kingsville way and found everything all "wet" for it has been raining in "yonder hills" for some two or three weeks. I thought for awhile I wouldn't see the old "Sol" but the weather traffic manager was kind enough to let it shine Saturday, December 17th., thereby, letting me get out long enough to do some "nosing around" and get some "dirt" on the Town folks.

The "Lulac Spirit" is still found among the boys there but "Old Man Depression" seemingly stands in the way of their activities. I recommend a free course on how to work around this "Old Man" and keep up the "Lulac Activities". This really is not very hard to do and it just requires a little tact. You Kingsville "Lulack-ers" ought to take a lesson from the Stephen F. Austin School's association of Parent and Teachers.

Speaking of "P. T. A.'s" they have a real one in the Stephen F. Austin School of Kingsville. There are about 30 members and seven of the thirty are real active. Headed by the president Mrs. A. G. Treviño, Mrs. J. Scarborough, Secretary, Mrs. Loetta, Assistant-Secretary, and Mrs. E. Hernández, Treasurer, they keep the ball a rolling there. In the past three years they have raised enough money to buy some trees, and plant some gardens thereby beautifying the School. They have also bought a piano, victrola, a set of Encyclopedias, for the School and last but not least they have started a Cafeteria there where they feed free of charge all the poor school children who are undernourished and those who can afford to pay can buy their soup and milk for the small amount of three cents. Boy! Howdy! My hat's off to this P. T. A. In spite of the protest, of some, to start the cafeteria on account of the expense it may incur on the school Board; this was started and so far it has cost the School Board absolutely nothing, thanks to the many donators who have made this possible. Among them are, Mrs. Kleberg of the Kings' Ranch who donates the meat and milk every day, Mrs. Orange who gave the stove and some tables, Mr. Her-

nández who gave the lumber for the building of the benches, and many others who gave dishes and to the members of the P. T. A. who take care of the cooking and dish washing, etc. This shows us what a little effort will do and just what close harmony and co-operation will lead to. Kingsville "Lulac'ers" TAKE NOTICE and do likewise.

**EVERYBODY HOLD THEIR HEADS UP AND BE READY.** Rumors have it that they are trying to convert the TEXAS ARTS AND INDUSTRY COLLEGE of Kingsville, Texas into a Junior College or some such action. This is the only State institution of higher learning south of San Marcos. This College supplies all the valley and the entire Southwest and West Texas with higher learning. In these times of suffering and financial reverses education is being obtained at a great sacrifice. Greater will be the expense if our people will have to journey to Austin or San Marcos for their education. Anyone and everyone can see what this means. Brighten up your armours and be ready. If such silly attempts are made every one can get in the fight. YES SIR! ONE OF THESE FREE FOR ALL THINGS YOU OFTEN READ ABOUT. — By the way this T. A. & I College is a beautiful school. Apart from their well organized curriculum and beautiful buildings they are turning out some scholars who are not only making a name for themselves but making history for their "Old Alma Mater". The Athletic Department there is not be to "sneezed at". Those "Javelins" are good and there is no two ways about it. Keep up the good work T. A. & I. our heart and hand is here to assist in anyway possible.

**HOW DOES THIS SOUND TO YOUR EARS?** — J. M. Longoria of the La Grulla Lulac Council was appointed secretary to the head of the Spanish Department of the Texas A. & I. College. Our hearty congratulations Mr. Longoria, stay in there and pitch.

Just had the pleasure of meeting Mr. Noe Jiménez of San Diego, Texas, who was awarded a small amount of the Scholarship fund of Lulac. Fine chap, this Jiménez Boy, and quite alert and intelligent. Boys we just have to work hard and increase our Scholarship Fund. This is our best bet for the future progress and development of our League.

There is a young chap attending College by the name of Peña and by the way he is brother to our Vice-President General of San Diego, the Honorable Mr. Fernando Peña. You just wait until these young men blossom into manhood and then see just what our League will amount to. Mr. Fernando Peña had better be on the alert or his little brother will leave him in the dust. Fine young Lulac'ers full of Vim, Vigor, Vitality and Intelligence. Hard working, studious, industrious, and with a strong brave heart to carry on any amount of work without being discouraged by the obstacles and hardships of life.

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### GONZALES

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Mr. David Sánchez, president of the Gonzales Council was in town a few weeks ago, and informs us that the Gonzales Council is quite active. During their meetings every week they have about twenty members present. The following persons have joined the council: Manuel Sepúlveda, Rafael Cantú, Tiburcio Diaz, Domingo Sánchez, Tomás Sepúlveda, Jesús Vara, Joe Mendoza, Juan Sepúlveda, Modesto Bazán and Pablo Sánchez.

The council gave a dance on November 24th, which proved a huge success from a social as well as from a financial standpoint. It netted a good profit, with which they paid their charter and six month dues, and their December contribution toward the support of LULAC NEWS.

The P. T. A. is also very active. New members are joining it and they are planning improvements to the school house and seeking better school facilities.

The only sorrowful note from Gonzales is what happened to Brother G. R. Treviño, treasurer of that council. A negro tried to assault Mrs. Treviño. Mr. Treviño, having been authorized by the sheriff tried to arrest the negro, who drew a pistol, but fortunately, brother Treviño beat him to the draw and wounded him. The man died twelve hours after the shooting. For the time being, Mr. Treviño finds himself facing court charges, but in view of it being a justified act, we are sure he will come out of this trouble alright.

### S. A. CLUB BANQUETS BROTHER PERALES

The Missouri Pacific Latin Booster Club gave a banquet last Tuesday Night, December 27, in honor of brother Alonso S. Perales, at the Carta Blanca Restaurant, San Antonio.

As Mr. Perales was in Rio Grande, and not being able to arrive on time he was represented by Mr. Henry Guerra. Words of praise were said about brother Perales, and of the work he has done in behalf of our people. Among those who spoke were Mr. J. Zermefio Macias, president of the Club, Mr. Fernando Pesqueira Consul General of Mexico in San Antonio, General Jacinto B. Treviño, Mr. N. A. Quintanilla, Mr. Evaristo G. Ruiz, Secretary of the Mexican Chamber of Commerce and Mr. Judd, Superintendent of the Missouri Pacific Railroad.

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## FLYING SQUADRON RAISES FUNDS

By Neewah.

Many cities in the State of Texas were asking for the assistance of the FLYING SQUADRON of the San Antonio Council to pay them a visit. The San Antonio council not being able to carry on its work as it would like to, on a motion by Fred O. Dominguez, seconded, carried and so ordered to form a committee to devise ways and means for the Flying Squadron to keep up its good work. The committee was composed of the maker of the motion as Chairman, Mr. Henry Cañamar, Mr. Rubén Herrera, Mr. Leopoldo Castañón, and Mr. Tomás A. Garza. The President of the San Antonio council, Mr. John C. Solis, instructed the committee to get to work and expected only success from said committee.

The first venture of the committee was to start the ball a rolling with grand preparations for a Dance. The date was set for December 2nd, 1932, and the place as Sidney Lanier High School Gymnasium. Next came the question of invitations. Our good friend and brother member of Lulac, Mr. Nicolás Aguilar, being a first class printer, donated the invitations. These in turn were distributed and next thing to look for was the music for the aforementioned "Shindig". The committee was very fortunate in getting the boys to open up their hearts and put the "light pedal" on the price. Mr. Quirino Reyes, better known as "Keeno" got his Jazz boys together and "Whopped 'em up" at the "Balle". And let me say right here, if you fellers want to hear—I mean REAL music—just get Keeno and his gang!

A big crowd attended and a good time was had by all. Among those present we noticed Mr. R. H. Brewer, Principal of Sidney Lanier, Mr. Uhr, Principal of David Barclay Elementary School, Miss Belle Woodhull.

Needless to say the affair was a success and so the FLYING SQUADRON will continue to carry on and spread the Gospel of LULAC to places here and there, far and near and to inject the spirit of Lulac where ever it goes.

## A RESOLUTION

The State Of Texas,  
County of Bexar.

WHEREAS, the League of United Latin-American Citizens is a state wide civic and patriotic organization, composed exclusively of American citizens of Latin extraction, consisting of forty-eight councils, some of which are located at El Paso, Del Rio, Eagle Pass, Laredo, Rio Grande City and Brownsville; and

WHEREAS, it has come to the attention of the officers and members of the San Antonio Council of said league, according to a press report appearing on the front page of the San Antonio Express, shortly before the general election, that the Hon. Ed. Hussion, secretary of the State Democratic Executive Committee broadcast the statement to the effect that the negro vote was superior in intelligence to the "Mexican" vote along the border towns; and

WHEREAS, knowing full well that some of the best citizens of this State and Nation of Latin extraction reside in border towns such as Laredo, and are among the most respected citizens in their respective communities, whose fore-fathers founded those towns and have from time immemorial wielded an up-lifting influence, all of which is a matter of common knowledge; and

WHEREAS, the said purported statement being entirely unjustified and uncalled for, be it

RESOLVED, therefore, by the San Antonio council of L. U. L. A. C. that a resolution be drafted vigorously protesting said statement as reported to have been made by the said Ed. Hussion, informing him that we have gone on record as considering his public statements, if correctly quoted, an insult to our Race, which, as native Americans citizens of a Democratic country, we deeply resent.

S. A. Council of LULAC,  
By M. C. GONZALES,  
Inspector-General and Chairman  
of the Committee.

Pay Your Poll Tax Before  
January 31st.

## THIS AND THAT IN LULAC

By FRED O. DOMINGUEZ  
NO LITERATURE CAN HAVE A LONG CONTINUANCE  
IF NOT DIVERSIFIED WITH HUMOR.

Well folks, I hope every body had a happy New Year. Christmas, of course, must have been or should have been a very joyous affair for everyone. Old man depression, was trying his utmost to undo things but I'll bet a pretty it did not affect the majority of the masses.

This is written a few days before New Year's and I can just picture some of us making New Year's resolutions that we will nor never intend to keep. I have often wondered why we make such fool promises!

Our esteemed and distinguished friend and brother the Honorable John C. Solis was heard the other day saying something about his birthday falling on January first. Boy, boy, Oh Boy, won't Johnnie have something to celebrate for and HOW. Please give us the low down on your actions after the first Johnnie.

And by the way, our good friend Raymond Muguerra has just left for Milwaukee. We all know what Milwaukee is famous for and now that Congress is trying to straighten this matter out we wouldn't be surprised if Raymond don't come back and tell us about the elaborate preparations some of the industries are making for the future salvation of the "thirsty" people. Come on Ray tell us about them.

Your writer has been jabbing at this machine here for a long time now and came pretty near forgetting to mention the big Tamalada that was had by the S. A. Council on Dec. 22nd. This was a big affair and a new champion (or shall we call him a king) was brought into the spot light. None other than our Treasurer General. Yes folks, yes, Mike is now a champion. The crown that was worn for the past two years by our Publicity Director, Mr. Valencia, for eating more tamales than any three men on the table was knocked off and is now being proudly worn by Mike. Of course Mike had

a hard time getting Felipe to jar loose but after the empty shucks were weighed on a druggists scale Mike was awarded the Championship by two grains. Pretty close, for losing a crown, but Mike is the Champ, never the less. Three cheers to the new King. (Elsewhere in this issue you will find a detailed report of the affair.)

### FILOSOFY BY THE WRITER

The perfect man died yesterday, and another will not be born until tomorrow.

A big man is usually a little man who takes advantage of an opportunity.

Take care of the little things and the big things will take care of themselves.

First Convict.—When does you-all leave heah, boy?

Lifer.—De fust.

First Convict.—De fust ob when?

Lifer.—De fust chance ah gits.

About the best definition for Rigid Economy your writer could get so far is—a Dead Scotchman. Poor Scotty!

Smith:—Have you ever been in a railway accident?

Jones (Not Paul C.):—Yes, once. I was in a train and as we went through a tunnel. I kissed the father instead of the daughter.



## LOCKHART

This council has answered the call of LULAC NEWS. Mr. Pedro Tamayo, its President says they are planning a big dance to raise funds. Knowing well the Lockhart boys, we are sure their dance will be a success. Notwithstanding what they are up against, there are a fine bunch of young men there that can put over things.

## MISSION GOES OVER THE TOP

LULAC NEWS sent out a call for help sometime ago, and the Mission Council was the first to respond. This council, through Mr. Roberto E. Austin, its secretary, sent in \$11.00 as their contribution toward the support of LULAC NEWS from the month of June to May, 1932. Bravo for the Mission Council. It is only with the cooperation of the councils that the success of this publication can be assured.

## POTEET

Mr. Ernesto G. Rodriguez informs us that all is well in the Poteet Council. They are getting along pretty nicely, making plans for the coming year. Mr. Rodriguez is specially active in affairs of that council. They were so enthused and so enjoyed the December issue of LULAC NEWS, that the twenty copies sent them were not enough and they ordered fifteen more. Good for the Poteet boys.

The Poteet council is getting ready to organize a P. T. A. in that locality. Well knowing the Lulac Material there, we are expecting big things of the boys down there.

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## JACOBO RODRIGUEZ

This member of the San Antonio Council is now in California. He writes he had a hard time getting there, but that he arrived safe and well. Mr. Rodriguez, being a true Lulacker and a man who does not let grass grow under his feet immediately began preaching Lulac. He requested of our Treasurer-General to send him some literature. Pretty soon we will hear of LULAC COUNCILS in California. Good work, brother Rodriguez!

## ISIDORO FLORES, JR.

Brother Flores has done quite a bit of propaganda work for Lulac, during his travels in the interest of LULAC NEWS to North, West and Northwest Texas. People everywhere in those regions visited by him know about Lulac and what it stands for through his efforts.

## VOTE OF THANKS

In the name of the San Antonio Council, I wish to thank the young ladies, who were so kind as to cooperate with us in making our annual Tamalada a huge success. We wish to thank Misses Maria Martinez and Ester Ramos from the Mitla Club, who tho they had to attend a nice big dance left till the last for the sake of LULAC. Misses Carmen and Berta Lozano, and Elida Treviño, from the Club Orquidea, who were very kind to help us on that night, and One Big Cheer to Miss Berta Aldrete, Captain of the LULAC Girls Basketball team, and our ace player, who tho she had to work till nine o'clock hurried to the Institute, and helped us. May these young ladies enjoy a very prosperous New Year.

F. VALENCIA.

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## BROTHER ALONSO S. PERALES HOME AGAIN

Hon. Alonso S. Perales is back home again from Nicaragua. He came into our office the other day to say hello, and has nothing but praise and words of kindness for the heroic people of Nicaragua. Brother Perales is very optimistic about LULAC and says he is ready to put his heart and soul into Lulac Work.

He is, at present, enjoying the holidays, in Rio Grande City, but we understand he will return to San Antonio and open up his office after the first of the year.

## DON KEENO AND HIS JAZZ BABIES

Mr. Quirino Reyes, a new member of the San Antonio Council, is the young man responsible for the fine music furnished the FLYING SQUADRON, during their dance, at the Sidney Lanier Gym, last December 2nd.

Don Keeno is surrounded by a pretty good bunch of Musical Jazz Babies and can sure make music. LULAC feels very much indebted to him and heartily recommends him to our out-of-town boys. Seguin, Hondo, Lockhart, Cotulla, etc., take notice and get DON KEENO, when you want good music.

## MR. JESUS M. CHAPA

The San Antonio Council, at its meeting, on Friday, December 16th last, was honored with the visit of brother Jesús M. Chapa, a young attorney from Mercedes, who is Secretary of that council. Mr. Chapa had nothing but words of praise for the San Antonio Council, and says that the Mercedes Council is holding its own. He spent the holidays in San Antonio and was with the boys at the big Tamalada.

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## SAN ANTONIO COUNCIL HOLDS PARTY

Henry Cañamar.

On the night of the 22nd. at 8:30 P. M., at the International Institute a great tamale feast began with about 75 members and visitors present.

It was great to see the tamale eating contest, and judging by the stack of shucks left Brother Mauro Machado was the winner. Bro. Dominguez was the official winner of coffee drinkers, Paul Jones going a close second.

In the smoking contest J. C. Solis made more smoke than anyone else (they were ropes instead of cabbage this time). The smoke having cleared away a program was put on by the committee in charge headed by Mr. Fred. Dominguez. The following taking part: In the telephone act Mr. E. R. Lozano, M. C. Gonzáles, J. J. Calderón, Jr., Fred O. Dominguez, Thomas A. Garza and Paul Jones. Mr. Alfredo Guerra a caricaturist gave a good example of his art. Mercy Montes with a monologue with its true fistic atmosphere. Mr. A. C. Garcia entertained with a few songs. Mr. Dominguez presented the S. A. Council's Quartette, composed of Ben Herrera, Felipe Valencia, George Flores and Henry Cañamar, and how they can sing!

Young Ladies from various clubs assisted in serving the appetizing dishes; Miss Bertha Aldrete from the Lulac Basketball Team, Misses Maria Martinez and Esther Ramos from the Club Mitla, and Misses Carmen Lozano, Berta Lozano and Elida Treviño from the Club Orquidea.

Honor guests were prof. R. H. Brewer, Principal of Sidney Lanier Senior School, James Tafolla, Jr. of San Antonio, G. Treviño, A. Sánchez, G. Flores and Teodoro Góngora of the Gonzáles Council, Dr. D. Rojo of San Marcos, D. Ciderio Garcia of Hunter, and Jesus M. Chapa and José Garza of the Mercedes Council. Joe For-dyce, coach of the San Antonio Lulac Girls Basket Ball Team, Tom Hernández and Lefty Gonzáles of the S. A. Lulac Baseball Team were also present.

And to finish the feast, the attendance prize was won by Mr. G. Treviño of Gonzáles, and every one was wished Merry Xmas and a Happy New Year by Chairman Solis.

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### EDITORIAL

The New Year brings glad tidings. At least, that is what we expect and hope every year at this time. We are full of optimism and look forward for better times and things.

Some years have failed us, but this coming one, it cannot possibly be worse. From a national standpoint everything points toward a recovery from this grave depression that has gripped this country and the world for sometime. The legislative measures of relief, that we are sure congress will pass, and the vast program to be carried out by the government, all tend to assure better times ahead for the American people.

We, being part of that people, are sure to reap the fruits of any degree of prosperity that may come to this country, if we do not fall behind, but are quick to grasp the opportunity when it knocks at our door. For this we should and let us prepare.

There are a good many ways of beginning the New Year right. One way is to join LULAC. And by all means, subscribe to LULAC NEWS. Your little bit will go a long way toward helping to sustain the voice of LULAC.

LULAC NEWS must and will live. It has a purpose and a mission to fulfill. One cannot deny that during the last year and the year before that, it was in a good measure responsible for the growth of the League.

LULAC NEWS will keep on propagating the LULAC IDEALS more vigorously. Our aim is every Latin-American in the fold and in every town a council.

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## PROF. SEELE

Prof. Seele, President of the Texas College of Arts and Industries honored us with a visit on December 31st.

A large majority of the students at this institution of higher learning are of Latin extraction, and Prof. Seele is well liked by our people throughout this section of the state. He has shown at all times a deep interest in the education of our young folks, and is generally looked upon as a friend of our people.

We understand that the Texas College of Arts and Industries is in danger of being relegated from a college to a mere high school, which would, indeed, be a great loss to the people of this section, as our students would have to go elsewhere and far from their homes to some other section of the state or country to continue their studies. This is a good opportunity for Lulac to come to the rescue of the young people of Southwest Texas.

## NOE JIMENEZ

Mr. Noe Jiménez, the young man who was awarded \$50.00 by the Educational Committee honored us with a visit on December 31st.

He is a student at the Texas College of Arts and Industries and is quite a promising chap. Mr. Jiménez spoke very highly of LULAC, says he preaches it wherever he goes and wishes every member of the League a very prosperous New Year.

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## IN MEMORIAM

On Friday, December 16th, 1932, Mr. J. A. Escajeda, Chaplain of the El Paso Council No. 8, passed away, to his eternal reward.

The L. U. L. A. C. lost a man hard to replace. He was a true friend of the Latin-Americans in El Paso County. He won many friends and was always helping the needy. In fact he died a poor man due to his liberality. He lost property when men he had bonded out jumped the bond and left him stuck. The memory of Joe Escajeda will live forever in the hearts of the citizens of El Paso County. Fighting for his people to the last minute, he went down to his grave wearing a Lulac Lapel Button. Lulac was his pet organization.

Our sympathy is extended to his bereaved family, and our coworkers in El Paso.

MAURO M. MACHADO.  
FELIPE VALENCIA.

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Forty-eight councils or forty-eight links are in the LULAC CHAIN. They are the reward of the efforts of unselfish men who have pioneered in LULAC, men that are fired with the true LULAC principles of equality and justice and seek our intellectual and material advancement.

## SPORTS TIPS

DID YOU KNOW THAT: José Martínez-Zorrilla, of Mexico City and a student of Cornell was selected on the "All American Football Team" and was presented with a gold medal, in honor of his selection on the 1932 All American Team, by his colleagues and class mates. He played right end and held down the right wing with such skill that he received the recognition to the mythical All American Team.

By the way, Mr. Héctor Fuentes, from Saltillo, Mexico was elected captain of the track team at Texas A. & M. College. Lots of success and best wishes for a successful year Mr. Fuentes.

# SPORTS

By BEN GARCIA

The basketball season is in full swing in San Antonio, and the Spanish-American Girls Basketball League has played quite a number of games. They play every Wednesday night at the Sidney Lanier Gym.

On December 14th last, the League started activities before a packed house, and every Wednesday night they draw quite a crowd. During the first games Tuesday Night beat Modern Maids 14 to 13 and Lulac won from What Next 32 to 24.

Believe me Lulac has been winning ever since, overcoming all obstacles, and we sure have a good team, thanks to Mr. Joe Fordyce, Coach, and to Miss Berta Aldrete, Captain, who is proving to be quite an ace. During the first game she made 28 goals herself, and ever since during each game she leads the league in the number of goals made. All the teams play pretty fair and it is worth while to see them in action.

Now comes word from Marfa, that the basketball fever has taken the Latin American girls there by storm. A team composed of Latin-American girls is making quite a record there. The Marfa Indians, as they are called won from the High School Team 19 to 11. Miss Lupita Carrasco is captain of the team and the players are: Misses Vidalia González, Josefina Lerma, Elodia (Curly) Chavira, Luisa Rede, Rosa Plasantillo, Enriqueta Plerro, Olivia Miller and Eva Garretson.

In a second game, the Latin-American team again defeated the High School team 27 to 7. Luisa Redem and Elodia (Curly) Chavira were the stars.

Laredo was the scene the other day of an International Pistol Marksmanship Contest. Two expert pistol shots took part, Mr. David O. Gallagher, assistant chief of Police of Laredo, Texas, and Mr. Salvador Preciado, an employe of the Nuevo Laredo Custom House. Mr. Preciado carried the honors with a score of 287 points against 285 points.



MISS BERTA ALDRETE

Miss Aldrete is captain and star player of the S. A. Lulac Girls Basketball Team, members of the Spanish-American Girls Basketball League. She has made 89 goals in three games played thus far.

The San Fernando Cardinals, State champions of the Parish League Baseball Teams were presented with trophies on Sunday, November 27th. The trophies were given the boys during a program presented by The Athletic Club of San Fernando School in the San Fernando Auditorium.

Amid the cheers of a large audience the trophies were presented to the boys by His Excellency the Most Reverend Arthur Jerome Drossaerts, D. D. L. L. D., Archbishop of San Antonio.

Mr. Hart McCormick, District Clerk of Bexar County, presented the team with the state championship cup, and Rev. Father J. E. Murphy, C. S. S. R., presented the City Championship trophy. Mr. N. A. Quintanilla, gave a short talk, highly praising the boys and complimenting them. It is the first time in the history of Parish Baseball that a team composed exclusively of Latin-Americans wins a State Championship.

# ¡ALERTA!

M. R. GAMEROS.

Con mucha frecuencia, al entrevistar a algunas personas que me han parecido elegibles para miembros de nuestra Liga, he tenido que escuchar pacientemente expresiones como ésta: "Yo no ingreso a esa organización porque al cabo será lo mismo que todas las demás, caerá en manos de políticos y terminará por desintegrarse." "Esa organización no tiene más objeto que acorralar votos". Etc.

Afortunadamente los principios sanos, distintos a todo lo anterior, nacidos de un conocimiento profundo de nuestros problemas y de nuestra psicología, han sido bien entendidos y aceptados por muchos conciudadanos de El Paso; y varios, que nadie había podido entusiasmar en actividades pro-Latino-Americanas, los han aprobado con regocijo y se han decidido a enlistarse en nuestras filas, dispuestos a luchar, confiados en la victoria y seguros de estar AHORA sobre terreno firme. Ciertamente, muchas son ya las agrupaciones que han fracasado y el estudio de esos fracasos nos conduce a poner el dedo en la llaga, dando con las causas de tales efectos. Si nos damos a averiguar por qué razón se han disuelto dichas sociedades, nos encontraremos, en casi todas las instancias, con la misma causa, a saber: una desmedida ambición política de parte de unos cuantos ambiciosos, tratando de dominar la sociedad para su propio beneficio; y a consecuencia de ese estado de cosas han surgido dos o más partidos dentro del seno de las sociedades, dando motivo a las discordias que vienen a dar por resultado final la división. Ahora bien, conociendo de antemano la causa de aquellos desastres, pregunto: ¿No podremos evitar que en nuestra querida Lulac se vaya a perpetrar el mismo atentado? Esperamos en el Todopoderoso que no sucederá.

El Concilio Número 8 ha palpado la posibilidad de tal acontecimiento, y los miembros que lo integran, en su totalidad, están resueltos a resguardar con celo y tenacidad la in-

tegridad y pureza de los principios de Lulac. Como primer paso al logro de esa intención, al ser establecido este Concilio, se adoptó la siguiente enmienda a la Constitución Local:

"ARTICLE I.—OFFICERS.—Page 1.—Sec. 3.—All members of the Local Council in good standing, are eligible to officership and membership on Board of Directors, EXCEPTING THOSE MEMBERS HOLDING AN ELECTIVE PUBLIC OFFICE OR EMPLOYEES THEREOF." No obstante contar entre nuestros miembros con un crecido número de empleados de la Ciudad, del Condado y Federales pasó dicho acuerdo por unanimidad! ¿Cómo se explica esto? Es de suponerse que las decepciones causadas por los fracasos de antaño nos hayan dado lecciones prácticas que no muy fácilmente olvidaremos. Nuestros políticos locales, algunos avanzados de edad, admiten que la mejor política debe siempre tener por fin no el interés y el bien particular de cada ciudadano, no el interés y el bien particular de una clase o de un partido, sino el interés y el bien general de la Nación. El político que observa la rectitud, buen sentido y respeto a sus compromisos lleva mucha ventaja, porque no arriesgando nada lleva mucho que ganar. Washington expresó una gran verdad en este bello concepto: "La probidad es siempre la mejor política"; es esta una máxima que tengo por igualmente aplicable a los negocios de las naciones y de los individuos.

Te figurarás, amado lector, que aquí se ha operado un milagro; sea como fuere, hemos adoptado esa actitud y no permitiremos ni la más leve variación en ella. Y respecto a que los empleados públicos, por nombramiento, tampoco sean elegibles para ocupar puestos en nuestra Mesa Directiva, será necesario explicar que la triste experiencia de muchas otras sociedades nos demuestra que esos empleados han sido instrumentos en acarrear la división, al tratar de ganarse votos para el "jefe". Y nos-

otros nos oponemos a que éstos ocupen puestos en la Mesa Directiva, por muchas razones que en resumen vienen a ser las siguientes: (1) Como Presidente, no es libre para presidir sin perjuicio quien sirve a un patrón, pues cuando se llega la hora de decidirse o ignora a su patrón o ignora la organización. (2) No puede ser juez y parte a la vez. (3) Será más fácil para un independiente conservar el orden de las sesiones que lo fuera para uno que tuviera interés de partido, o de empleo, y para acabar con el peligro de degenerar, tanto en las apariencias como de hecho, en un simple club político ponemos la dirección de la Liga en manos de hombres desinteresados. (4) La política debe estar sujeta a la Liga y no la Liga sujeta a la política. (5) Queremos estar a salvo del peligro, porque las tentaciones son fuertes y numerosas durante las campañas políticas, y no todos contamos con carácter de hierro para vencerlas.

Hay más todavía, en una organización de la magnitud de Lulac es indispensable que se acate con exactitud religiosa el principio de rotación, no sólo en los Oficiales Generales de la Liga sino también en las Oficinas Generales (Head-Quarters). Es una medida salubre, es esencial y de suma importancia para que nuestros esfuerzos al escudar la pureza e integridad de los principios básicos de Lulac no sean en vano. Y que ningún miembro sostenga consideraciones de interés personal por encima de los intereses de nuestra organización.

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## ACTIVIDADES de la LULAC

El Sr. Jacobo Rodriguez, miembro del concilio de San Antonio se encuentra ahora en California, donde ha fijado su residencia. El Sr. Rodriguez, poseido del verdadero espíritu Lulac, ha pedido literatura, pues piensa difundir allí las ideas Lulac y trabajar por establecer concilios en aquel lejano estado.

Con el fin de sufragar los gastos del Escuadrón Volante en sus frecuentes viajes fuera de la ciudad, un comité del concilio de San Antonio, compuesto de los señores Fred. O. Dominguez, presidente, Tomás A. Garza y Leo Castañón, dieron un baile en el gimnasio de la Escuela Sidney Lanier. El baile resultó muy animado obteniéndose el éxito pecuniario deseado. Ya se preparan otras fiestas para aumentar el fondo del Escuadrón Volante.

El Sr. Isidoro Flores, Jr. se muestra muy optimista con respecto a los trabajos que puede desarrollar la Lulac en lugares que ha visitado en el norte, oeste y noroeste del Estado de Texas. El ha hecho mucha propaganda, difundiendo los ideales de la Lulac y preparando el terreno para futuros concilios.

El jueves 22 de Diciembre tuvo lugar la tamalada anual del Concilio de San Antonio, en el Instituto Internacional, Sur Pecos y Martin.

Habia más de cincuenta miembros, huéspedes y visitantes, habiéndose servido deliciosos tamales, café y pan de dulce. Varias señoritas de los clubs recreativos. Del Club Orquídea ayudaron las señoritas Carmen Lozano, Berta Lozano y Elda Treviño; del Club Mitla, las señoritas Maria Martinez y Ester Ramos y del equipo de Basketball Lulac, la señorita Berta Aldrete. Entre los visitantes se encontraban el Prof. R. H. Brewer de la Escuela Sidney Lanier y el Lic. Jesús M. Chapa. El Sr. Fred O. Dominguez había preparado de antemano un bonito y variado programa, estando los números a cargo de miembros del concilio. Reinó la más animada hilaridad, retirándose todos muy complacidos de la fiesta.

El Concilio de San Antonio protestó ante el Sr. Ed. Husston, Secretario del Comité Ejecutivo del Partido Demócrata del Estado de Texas, por las declaraciones que hizo ese señor, en el sentido de que, "e. voto negro era superior en inteligencia al voto Mexicano a lo largo del Rio Bravo".

El Concilio de Poteet sigue trabajando con mucho entusiasmo. Dice el Sr. Ernesto G. Rodriguez que está para formarse allí una Asociación de Padres y Maestros. Le dieron tan buena acogida a LULAC NEWS que no fueron suficientes los 20 números que se les envió y pidieron quince más, los cuales les fueron enviados. El Concilio de San Antonio siente verdadero orgullo en haber organizado un concilio como el de Poteet, pues bien conoce los buenos elementos que hay allí y espera que estos hermanos obtengan un alcanzado éxito en sus trabajos durante este nuevo año de 1933.

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Al Concilio de Mission le pertenece el honor de haber cubrido su contribucion al sostenimiento de LULAC NEWS por un año. Ya habian contribuido con un dólar y hace poco enviaron \$11.00. con lo cual contribuyen hasta Mayo de 1933.

El Lic. Alonso S. Perales se encuentra otra vez entre nosotros de regreso de Nicaragua. El Lic. Perales se muestra muy optimista del porvenir de Lulac y está dispuesto a entrar de lleno a los trabajos de Lulac.

Hace poco tuvimos el placer de saludar al Sr. David Sánchez, presidente del concilio de Gonzáles. Dice que el Concilio está bastante activo, pues han ingresado muchos miembros y las juntas se ven algo concurridas. También se organizó allí la Asociación de Padres y Maestros, la cual desde luego ha empezado a funcionar con bastante éxito, gracias a los esfuerzos de miembros de la Lulac en Gonzáles y muy especialmente del Sr. Teodoro Góngora.

El Sr. G. R. Treviño, tesorero de ese Concilio, involuntariamente se ha visto envuelto en lios judiciales, debido a que un individuo de raza negra quizo atropellar a su familia, y él por autoridad del Sheriff puso al negro bajo arresto. El negro no dándose por vencido quiso hacer fuego sobre el Sr. Treviño, habiéndolo herido el Sr. Treviño en defensa propia. Como a las doce horas murió el negro.

El Sr. Quirino Reyes galantemente cedió la música que tocó durante el baile de beneficio que se dió en Sidney Lanier School Gym en San Antonio. El Sr. Reyes últimamente ingresó al Concilio de San Antonio. El ofrece sus servicios a todos los miembros de Lulac y personas que deseen los servicios de una buena orquesta Jazz. Está dispuesto a salir fuera de San Antonio a cualquier lugar vecino.

El Concilio de San Antonio desea hacer patente su agradecimiento a las señoritas Berta Aldrete, del equipo Lulac Basketball Team; Carmen y Berta Lozano y Elida Treviño del Club Orquidea; María Martínez y Ester Ramos del Club Mitla, por su cooperación con el Concilio durante la gran tamalada del día 22 del pasado.

Es muy necesaria para nuestro elemento racial la continuación de ese plantel educativo, ya que allí obtienen educación superior un crecido número de personas de nuestra juventud.

El Sr. J. M. Longoria del concilio de La Grulla, ha sido nombrado secretario al jefe del departamento español de este colegio.

Igualmente se encuentran allí dedicados a los estudios los jóvenes Noe Jiménez de San Diego y un hermano de nuestro consocio Fernando Peña de San Diego.

José Martínez-Zorrilla, de la Ciudad de México, ha sido seleccionado para el equipo Americano de Football. Se le seleccionó a formar parte de este equipo imaginario, debido a su record excepcional en el equipo de Cornell durante 1932. Fue presentado con una medalla de oro por sus condiscipulos.

El joven Héctor Fuentes, de Saltillo, México, fue elegido capitán del equipo de eventos de pista del colegio Texas A. & M. (Colegio de Agricultura y Mecánica.)

El Lic. Jesús M. Chapa, secretario del concilio de Mercedes se encuentra en San Antonio pasando la temporada de Navidad.

El concilio de Lockhart envió su contribución a LULAC NEWS. El Sr. Pedro Trujillo, presidente de ese concilio, nos informa que se está preparando un baile para levantar fondos con el fin de sufragar los gastos del concilio. Dado el entusiasmo que prevalece allí, esperamos que ha de ser un completo éxito.

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## EL CONSEJERO JUDICIAL

Por el Lic. Adolfo A. GARZA.

*Esta sección se dedicará exclusivamente a tratar de asuntos judiciales y problemas que se les presenten a nuestros lectores. El Lic. Garza contestará en esta sección toda pregunta que se le haga a este respecto. La dirección del Lic. Garza es 311 Houston Building, San Antonio, Texas. Si desea una contestación extensa por correo el interesado, sirvase enviar sobre estampillado.*

P. C. Kingsville, Texas.—Tengo mucho gusto en contestar su pregunta, "¿Sobre qué bases se puede obtener un divorcio en Texas?" Hay cinco razones que las cortes toman en consideración para otorgar un divorcio.

La primera es crueldad. Bajo esto se incluye toda clase de daño físico o mental. No es necesaria la violencia física para tomarse en consideración como motivo para otorgar un divorcio.

La segunda razón es abandono por tres años. Únicamente la persona que haya sido abandonada puede obtener el divorcio y ésta tiene que probar que la otra persona dejó el hogar con la intención de abandonarlo y que no han cohabitado desde la fecha del abandono.

La tercera razón por la cual se puede obtener un divorcio es abandono por diez años. La diferencia entre esta clase de abandono y el anterior es que en este caso no es necesario citar razones por haber abandonado el hogar. El único requisito es que no hayan vivido juntos como esposo y esposa por diez años.

La cuarta razón es adulterio. La esposa no puede obtener un divorcio, porque haya visto al esposo tener relaciones sexuales con otra mujer o mujeres, pero sí puede obtenerlo cuando el esposo haga vida con esa mujer en adulterio. Pero un esposo puede obtener un divorcio con un solo acto de adulterio que cometa su esposa.

La quinta razón para poder otorgar un divorcio es cuando uno de los dos, ya sea el esposo o la esposa, haya sido sentenciado a más de un año de prisión, en la penitenciaría.

Aunque estos son los únicos motivos para otorgarse un divorcio con-

forme a las leyes en vigor, preñez prenupcial es considerado suficiente razón para otorgarse el divorcio. Concerniente a los gastos que origina un divorcio y por cuanto se puede obtener, esto depende del tiempo que el abogado haya dedicado al caso. Pero generalmente, puede asegurarse, al no haber familia de por medio, propiedades, juicios y ninguna clase de complicaciones y habiéndose firmado un convenio (waiver), la cantidad de \$35.00 como honorarios es razonable, pero como todo depende de la cantidad de propiedad en comunidad, complicaciones, etc., el costo de un divorcio no tiene límite.

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(Balada)

De un arroyuelo, en la corriente man-  
(sa)

Bañábase mi niña,  
Y el perfume de su divino cuerpo  
Esparcíase muy suave,  
De un arroyuelo, en la corriente man-  
(sa).

Las perlas del arroyo salpicaban,  
Sus venusinas formas,  
Y las aves cantaban sus endechas,  
Y a las silvestres flores  
Las perlas del arroyo salpicaban.

La Ninfa que velaba el arroyuelo.  
Vino, y hablóle muy quedo....  
La niña, temblorosa, se vistió  
Y con ella, se fué  
La Ninfa que velaba el arroyuelo.

Desde esa tarde de fatal recuerdo  
No he tenido reposo,  
Y junto al arroyuelo, en la corriente,  
No ceso de llorar  
Desde esa tarde de fatal recuerdo.

Dr. Ignacio JASSO MARTINEZ.  
San Antonio, Tex., Dic. 27-1932.

## MUÑECA

(Couplet)

Agustín Lara

En listón y flores de satín....  
Envuelto en pétalos de flor  
Y aromas de gerlén....  
Yo viví mi novela infantil....  
Y tuve la caricia del crespon  
Y el mimo del chifón.

Muñeca, mi figurín de vanidad....  
Muñeca, hecha de seda y de cristal;  
No sabes para que sirve el corazón,  
Ni sientes los pesares,  
Ni lloran tus desvelos,  
Ni has sentido los celos que da  
la traición.

Muñeca, juguete de mejor buduar....  
Encanto de verde luz en el mirar....  
Muñeca, florecita de tentación,  
Tú no puedes querer porque no tienes  
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